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Examiner: Wassum, L.S.

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Title: JOB ANALYSIS SYSTEM

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

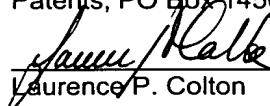
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Paper No. 7 dated 24 December 2003 from examiner Luke S. Wassum of Art Unit 2177 has been received. The following is submitted in a good faith attempt to place the application in condition for allowance or in better condition for appeal.

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STATUS

The above-captioned patent application is pending.

Claims 1-19 and 21 are pending.

Claims 1-10, 15-17, and 21 have been rejected.

Claims 11-14, 18, and 19 have been allowed.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

A separate petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 and the appropriate fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) are enclosed herewith to extend the time for responding to the Office Action until 24 June 2004.



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Remarks
The enclosed response and amendment is being filed with a 3-month extension of time to extend the response date to 24 June 2004. The fee for a small entity of \$475.00 is enclosed via PTO-2038.

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